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SUBJECT: CORE DRILLING PROGRAM ATLANTIC CONTINENTAL  
MARGIN OF THE UNITED STATES

REF: 1512

1. PLEASE EXCUSE THE DELAY IN REPLYING TO YOUR REQUEST.
  2. A SCIENTIFIC PROSPECTUS PREPARED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR DETAILING THE CORE DRILLING PROGRAM HAS BEEN AIR POUCHED TO EMBASSY OSLO. THE PROSPECTUS IS A DISCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM WHICH IS TO DEVELOP DETAILED GEOPHYSICAL INFORMATION ON THE CONTINENTAL SHELF OF THE UNITED STATES' EAST COAST. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONCERNING THE ORGANIZATION OF THE PROJECT AND ITS COST CAN BE OBTAINED FROM EITHER JOHN HATHAWAY (PHONE 617 - 548-8700) AT THE WOODS HOLE OCEANOGRAPHIC INSTITUTION
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OR TERENCE EDGAR (PHONE 703 - 860-7241) OF THE U.S.

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.

3. SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES OF THE PROGRAM INCLUDE REGIONAL  
GEOGRAPHIC MAPPING, DELINEATION OF THE STRATI-GRAPHIC  
COLUMN, HYDROCARBON RESOURCES EVALUATION, DELINEATION

OF OTHER MINERAL DEPOSITS AND DETERMINATION OF  
GEOPHYSICALLY RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS BELOW  
THE SEA FLOOR.

4. ADRESSES FOR THEABOVE MNTIONED CONTACTS HAVE  
BEEN INCLUDEDIN THE AIRPOUCH MATERIAL.THESE  
GENTLEMEN HAVE INDICATED THEIR WILLINGNESS TO SUPPLY  
ANY ADDITIONALINFORMATION UPON REQUEST. SISCO

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